



**FLEMMING'S PLEA IGNORED:** University of Michigan president Robben Flemming, left, walks among group of demonstrators in Ann Arbor Tuesday night in effort to prevent further violence. Flemming spent three hours walking between

groups of students and police lines. At least 11 policemen were injured and 42 arrests made before demonstration was broken up with tear gas. (AP Wirephoto)

## HIPPIE 'HAPPENING' LEADS TO VIOLENCE ON CAMPUS OF U-M

### Police Break Up Sex Orgy

Flemming Is  
Unsuccessful  
As Peacemaker

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) — A hippie "happening" which included performances of the sex act in a public street erupted into violence when police tried to break it up.

More than 40 local, county and state police swept across the University of Michigan campus and nearby streets Tuesday night clearing the area of about 1,500 students and non-students who had gathered when police were called on campus to handle the disturbance.

Outside help was first called in when the city force was unable to bring a "happening" on an off campus street under control.

Ann Arbor Mayor Robert Harris cut short his stay at the National Mayor's Conference in Pittsburgh, Pa., to return late Tuesday.

#### FLEMMING ON SCENE

University President Robben Flemming spent three hours walking between police and student lines Tuesday night in an attempt to prevent further violence.

At least 11 policemen were injured by thrown rocks, bottles and debris. One officer, hit by a homemade firebomb, was hospitalized and Washtenaw County Sheriff Douglas Harvey was treated for a cut hand. One other officer suffered a cracked kidney.

Asst. Police Chief Harold Olsen, top uniformed officer on the scene, at one point told the mayor "I'm not going to have my men picked off like flies."

Rock and debris throwing went on intermittently throughout the night.

Thirty-nine adults and three juveniles were arrested and charged with disorderly conduct. Two women were charged with felonies for malicious destruction to police cars.

Police and student lines became sharply drawn a little after midnight as Flemming attempted to prevent further trouble. Just before 1 a.m. he asked Harvey not to order the streets cleared and give him more time to try to disperse the crowd.

At that point, Harvey said he would give Flemming 10 more minutes.

"I'm telling you what we're doing and that's it," he shouted to the university president. "You get them out of here or we're moving in."

Earlier in the evening, Flemming was talking to a crowd of students when police lobbed tear gas canisters within 10 yards of him and charged the crowd. Flemming walked up to the officers and asked them to leave the students alone.

"All you do is cause trouble when you push these people around," Flemming said. "They aren't causing any trouble out here."

Earlier Tuesday, Ann Arbor hippy leader Skip Taube had called the city administration asking that three blocks on

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**POLICEMAN DOWNED:** A policeman is aided by other officers after he was knocked down by thrown object during fracas with an estimated 1,500 persons, including students in Ann Arbor Tuesday night. Eleven policemen were injured while 39 adults and two juveniles were arrested. (AP Wirephoto)

## Hungry Migrants Flooding Berrien Welfare Offices

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### Berry Harvest Cut Short

With strawberry harvest work cut short by persisting rain and cold weather the past two weeks, hundreds of Spanish-speaking migrant fruit harvesters have flooded the Berrien County Social Services department seeking food stamps.

Over 300 families, most of them from Texas and other parts of southwestern United States, were certified to purchase the federal food stamps at reduced prices. Another 60 families were authorized to receive stamps Tuesday.

#### NEST EGGS GONE

Segundo Garce, coordinator of the Interagency Migrant Center at the the Marrs school building, Berrien Springs, said many workers "got into a little bind" for money as result of the persisting rains and cold temperatures that have slowed the strawberry harvest. Also, he said, the start of the crop was a few days late this season

and a number of families spent their cash reserves waiting for the berries to ripen.

Dale Hough, head of the state farm labor office at Scottsdale, confirmed Garce's summary of the situation.

Field representatives of the Interagency Migrant Center advised the migrant families contacted on area farms they could apply at the county social services department for assistance in buying food, if they met certain income requirements.

Meanwhile, Emmet J. Thomas, director of the Van Buren Social Services department, said some 428 persons applied last week and 113 on Monday, mostly for food stamps and most were Spanish-speaking fruit harvesters.

"There has been a trickle of them ever since probably the first of April," he said.

Wesley Bowerman, Berrien county director of social serv-

ices, said his department was forced to suspend taking food stamp applications last Friday and again Monday to catch up with the paperwork.

"We were unprepared for this onslaught last week and took Friday afternoon and yesterday (Monday) off to clean off the massive paperwork involved," Bowerman said.

Residency never has been a requirement for food stamps, and direct costs to Berrien for the program's operation are small, Bowerman indicated.

Some of the migrants apparently received pamphlets or directions elsewhere on where to seek Social Services assistance.

"I have heard," Bowerman said, "that some of them have what we would call a directory of services available."

The flood is so heavy, Bowerman said, that last night a Social Services food stamp application center was opened at

the upper elementary school in Berrien Springs to cut the work load at Social Services headquarters in the county courthouse, St. Joseph. Open from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, the Berrien Springs application center will permit migrants to apply during non-working hours.

#### INCREASES BUYING POWER

The food stamp program, sponsored by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, increases food buying power of low-income families by selling them food stamps with a value higher than the cash paid for the stamps.

The food stamp program began in Berrien on May 1, 1967. Last year only a handful of Mexican-Americans applied, according to Bowerman.

The flood this year, he said, may be a result of "all the emphasis and news reporting that's taken place on the food stamp program . . . and its availability to low-income families and migrants."

Many of the migrants are first-timers in the food stamp program, Bowerman said, though some participated in the program in Illinois.

Applicants are accepted for

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### (Spec)acular News For Area Drivers

One of our reporters who had his driver's license renewed yesterday has this good news to report: You don't have to have your photograph taken with your glasses on.

An employee who snaps the shutter at the license bureau, Midway street, St. Joseph, said they abandoned the requirement to wear glasses about three weeks ago.

"We were getting too many bad pictures," she said. "You still have to wear them while driving, of course," she added.

**IN FENVILLE:**—We're looking for a energetic 12 year old boy with a lot of get up and go, interested in earning a steady \$8.00 per week in exchange for two hours each week day afternoon. We have a paper route available now—with a good established number of subscribers—and a chance for additional profits through growth. Call collect—Benton Harbor 925-0022 if you are interested. Our District manager will contact you. Adv.

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### Little Girl Is Rescued By Reagan

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP)—Alecia Berry, 7, daughter of Mrs. Marlene Murphy, a file clerk in Gov. Ronald Reagan's office, was rescued by the governor when she fell into his swimming pool in water over her head Sunday.

Alecia, who doesn't swim, was leaning over to get a plastic raft out of the pool and fell into water which was over her head. Reagan, who was standing nearby, noticed the youngster floundering, jumped into the water fully clothed and pulled the girl from the pool.

#### Lake Temperature

The temperature of Lake Michigan at the shoreline today is 64 degrees.

### Helicopter Pilot Wins Two Medals

#### SJ Graduate Cited As Hero

An area G.I. has received two awards from the Army for heroic action while attached to the 101st Army airborne division in Vietnam.

Warrant Officer Albert F. Brizendine, 21, son of Mrs. Louis (Ernestine) Dumond of 3732 Southfield drive, Lincoln township, has received both the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with "V" Device.

#### COPTER PILOT

Brizendine, now a helicopter pilot, was a 1966 graduate of St. Joseph high school. He arrived in Vietnam in January of this year.

He received the air medal for action that took place during his first month of duty in Vietnam. Brizendine hovered his helicopter over a bomb crater under "intense automatic weapons fire" while reinforcing troops jumped from the craft, the report said. By his action, enemy troops were prevented from overrunning an outnumbered patrol.

#### RESCUES SOLDIERS

He was conferred the Distinguished Flying Cross for action that occurred a month and a half later. Again sustaining enemy fire, he volunteered to rescue six soldiers trapped by superior enemy forces. He removed the trapped men successfully.

For those wishing to correspond with Brizendine, his address is: W. G. Albert F. Brizendine, Troop D, 1st Squadron, 1st Cavalry, APO San Francisco 96383.

Captain's Table, Diffenderfer's Trio, featuring Ray Norberg, Fri. 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Adv.

Southern Field grown tomato plants. Ar. Nemitz, Bridgman 465-1511. Adv.



W. G. ALBERT F. BRIZENDINE

### Big 'Toy' Is Cause Of Crash

LAWRENCE—A four-foot diameter wooden cable spool, rolled into the road by a young child was hit by a car whose driver escaped injury.

Robert J. McNeill, 17, route 4, Paw Paw, told state police he could not avoid hitting the spool and he lost control of his vehicle. It rolled over and came to rest on its top.

Paw Paw state police said the spool was started rolling down the driveway and into the road by two year old Gregory Shafer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Shafer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Shafer of county road 215 in Arlington township.

State police said no summonses were issued after the Monday accident.

### Killed On Cycle

HILLSDALE (AP) — John L. Mix, 18, of Jonesville, was killed Tuesday night when his motorcycle collided with a car near Hillsdale.



**WAITING:** Spanish speaking migrants wait in Berrien Social Services office in ground-floor county courthouse St. Joseph, where some estimated 360 families had obtained authorizations for federal food stamps through Tuesday. (Staff photo)

## THE HERALD-PRESS

### Editorial Page

W. J. Banyon, Editor and Publisher  
Bert Lindenfeld, Managing Editor

## Luncheon Club Shows Times Have Changed Around Here

Fifty years ago a small group of Twin City business and professional men organized the St. Joseph-Benton Harbor Rotary Club.

Its by-laws provided for a board of directors of eight men, divided equally between the two cities.

Four of the directors had to be from a business or office location in Benton Harbor; the other four had to be similarly situated in St. Joseph.

Another requirement was the election of four new directors, two each from St. Joseph and Benton Harbor, annually to serve for two-year terms. This staggered term arrangement is common to civic groups.

The by-laws also required the club to meet once a week alternately between St. Joseph and Benton Harbor.

A double reason lay behind this equalization in directorships and meeting places.

Most of the 1919 founders had their offices in St. Joseph and to broaden the club's base it was necessary to go 50-50 on basic matters.

Underlying that practical consideration was the fact of the St. Joseph river being more than a scenic watercourse emptying into Lake Michigan. It symbolized a mental barrier of intense rivalry between the two cities.

The local Rotary club followed the 1919 rule of 50-50 literally.

The first breach came last year through circumstances beyond its control.

The Vincent and the Whitcomb dining rooms had been the meeting places since the late 1920s.

When the two hotels collapsed as restaurant sources, the club was hard put to find alternate locations agreeable to all concerned, and finally the directors settled on the St. Joseph Elks as a meeting ground.

This Monday the members interred the 50-50 rule completely.

Meetings will be held in what the directors determine is the most suitable location.

More importantly, the directors no longer will be chosen on geographic lines.

East of the river and west from the river is out the window. Directors will be selected on how best they can serve the club, not where they work for a living.

As Warren Gast, due to retire as the club's president on June 30th, said in urging adoption of the new by-laws:

"A river is a body of water. It should not be a divider in a family."

Adoption was by unanimous vote.

Action by a luncheon club is not an influence upon history such as Caesar crossing the Rubicon, yet Monday's change in the local Rotary's governing rules is a significant reflection of what has come about in our area and a hopeful sign of what should be pursued further.

Killing the 50-50 rule would have been deemed revolutionary even ten years ago.

A complete amen greeted the burial on Monday noon.

The 50-50 rule was a mechanic to equalize a division within the membership which mirrored the same split among the townspeople.

Economically, this division went the way of the dodo bird fairly soon after World War II.

Repealing the rule, therefore, removes a barrier no longer serving any purpose except that of a stumbling block.

The area, though, still clings to other stumbling blocks, mostly in its governmental structure.

Maybe, in the foreseeable future, the public will recognize those political lines for what they really are and say if a group of conservatively minded businessmen can discard their shackles, why shouldn't we throw off ours?

## It's A Lonesome Sort Of Game!



## GLANCING BACKWARDS

### RATIFY TWO YEAR AGREEMENT

—1 Year Ago—  
St. Joseph teachers last night ratified a two-year agreement raising salaries an average of \$800 to \$900, providing full paid hospitalization, and added incentive for advanced graduate work.

The teachers, members of the St. Joseph Education association, ratified the agreement last night at a meeting in the high school auditorium. The approval was by a substantial margin but not unanimous, a spokesman said. The St. Joseph school board had approved the agreement at a special meeting Monday night.

### TOASTMASTERS MEET

—10 Years Ago—  
"Oil Damage to Our Lake Frontage" was the topic of the evening when Main Street Toastmasters No. 1407 met on Wednesday in the Chicken Nook, St. Joseph. Table topic chairman was Jack Zylstra.

Three speeches were given for the evening with Alfred Hinkelman winning the pencil. His topic was "The Abiding Lincoln." General critic was David Johnson and Hinkelman's judge was Nick Carter.

### THEY SOLD WAR BONDS

—25 Years Ago—  
Spurred on by invasion news, Rimes and Hildebrand employees sold a record-breaking total of 69 War bonds in the first week of the Fifth War Loan drive. Chairman Eugene J. O'Toole

said today that the biggest sale last week was a \$1,000 bond, the smallest, \$25.

A concrete reminder of the purpose of the bond drive is the exhibit framed in a jungle setting in one of the store's show windows. Trench mortar shells, jungle hammocks, mountain tents, machine ammunition, and fragmentation bomb chutes have been loaned by the Textron manufacturing company in cooperation with the U. S. Treasury department.

### PARENTS ARE GUESTS

—35 Years Ago—  
Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Starke of the Lake Park apartments are entertaining the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry

Blee of Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Blee is an official in the immigration department in that western city.

### CALLING ALL FANS

—55 Years Ago—  
Unless St. Joseph baseball fans come to the support of the team, the Edgewater park will be closed for the season it was stated following a meeting of directors of the organization. The final test will be made next Sunday when the local team meets LaPorte. If the attendance does not come somewhere near the figure where the association can break even, semi-pro baseball will be a thing of the past in St. Joseph.

## EDITOR'S MAILBAG

Editor,  
The Herald-Press

### LICENSING WON'T CONTROL HOT GUNS

With your permission and kind indulgence the writer would like to follow up my previous letter relative to the Gun Control Act of 1968. An editorial appearing in another section of Gun Week Magazine of March 7, 1969 is worthy of note for it covers the issue, let the shoe pinch whether prince or pauper. This editorial follows:

"Last November, while the

Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms Division was busily registering grenade, sawed off shotguns and machine guns during the amnesty period provided by the Gun Control Act of 1968, one ATFD official remarked that he doubted that any real gangsters would register their so called gangster type guns.

"I am a little doubtful that the Mafia, for instance, registered their guns," the official said. "They don't trust us."

Although the official probably didn't realize it, his casual comment graphically illustrates what law abiding gun owners have been saying about gun registration for years. No criminal who uses a gun in his "business" is going to be fool enough to register it.

Those lawmakers and others who support firearms registration and licensing of owners as a means of keeping firearms out of the hands of criminals should know this. Licensing and registration have never kept anyone from doing anything he wanted to do strongly enough. Unlicensed drivers drive unregistered automobiles. Unlicensed doctors practice medicine. Some people live together without marriage licenses. Many draft dodgers fail to register for the draft. The list goes on and on.

That we point out other registration licensing laws are violated does not mean we advocate the repeal of all license-registration laws. On the contrary, in some areas they are beneficial to determine the competence of those who practice in certain professions.

But when we consider firearm licensing-registration we find that neither hits at the heart of the problem. Requiring a criminal to license himself as a gun owner or to register his guns will do no good if the criminal will not abide by the laws to begin with.

Those who argue that failure to comply is the basis for another charge are looking at the problem from the wrong angle. No criminal considers the importance of a secondary conviction (unregistered gun) when he doesn't anticipate being arrested for the primary crime (robbery, etc.) in the first place.

For this reason lawmakers should intensify their study of methods to penalize the misuse of firearms. Unregistered or unlicensed possession should be made a crime. Misuse should be, and stiff. Mandatory penalties for misuse should be provided without any parole possibilities.

WILLIAM A. RODGERS,  
Bridgman

### YOUR FUTURE

Walk warily and take advice from experts. Today's child will be very intelligent but beset by many difficulties.

### HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?

1. The House of York and the House of Lancaster.
2. Lancaster was the red rose and York the white rose.
3. In 1927.
4. Sparta and Athens. Sparta won.
5. Unified codification of French law adopted in 1804.

## DR. COLEMAN

## ..And Speaking Of Your Health

My first marriage ended in divorce after seven months, when I learned that my husband was in incurable gambler. After a very attractive courtship I was married again, and now have a two-year-old son. I entered into this marriage, knowing that my husband was an alcoholic but I felt sure that I would be able to control him. I was dead wrong and am in the process of making a second divorce at the age of 32.

Dr. Coleman

Now my problem is that I am absolutely terrified of making any decision of any kind because I am sure that I will be wrong.

Everyone has a right to be wrong. Everyone has a right to become involved in situations that end in failure. No one, however, has the right to continue a mistake once it is recognized. You have been wise to recognize the error of your judgment and to have freed yourself from a burden which might have completely destroyed your life and the life of your child.

My encouragement is not meant to relieve you of a sense of guilt for not having taken the advice that undoubtedly has been offered to you by those of more mature judgment. Alcoholics and gamblers can, I am certain, be rehabilitated in some instances after marriage. This is a risk which might have been avoided if that rehabilitation had taken place before the wedding.

The need to make a decision

of some kind is part of our living, daily activities. Every waking moment, in any endeavor, brings with it the need of some choice or decision. Many of these may seem relatively unimportant in terms of the major problems of international relationship. Actually, these decisions probably affect our lives more readily than the so-called major ones.

Unless you get the proper guidance from a psychiatrist or psychologist, you will find yourself enmeshed in problems, all tiny ones, but sufficient to prevent your total happiness.

There are many who spend their lives fearful of making any choice. This fear is born of insecurity that grows on the soil of previous errors.

It is a sign of great maturity to be able to recognize an error and then without fear, reverse it. It is a sign of marked immaturity when a wrong decision is continued until it destroys everyone who is involved in it.

A decision that has been arrived at with honesty and integrity may be wrong. If it is, the fault may lie in our own inadequacy. But more often it lies in our false vanity that does not allow us to take the advice of another person.

My suggestion to you is that you seek the skilled advice of people specially trained in the art of giving it. You will then find out why you seem tempted into traps which you make for yourself. When you learn the answers, you will give yourself and your child a new right to a future life of happiness.

**SPEAKING OF YOUR HEALTH:** The joy of weight reduction begins after the first five pounds are lost. Don't be defeated by the first few days of "starvation" if there is no great loss of weight.

Dr. Coleman welcomes letters from readers, and, while he cannot undertake to answer each one, he will use questions in his column whenever possible and when they are of general interest. Address your letters to Dr. Coleman in care of this newspaper.

## JAY BECKER

## Contract Bridge

North dealer.  
North-South vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
♠ A J 7 6 5  
♥ A Q J 3  
♦ 8 6 4  
♣ —

**EAST**  
♠ A 9 4 3  
♥ K 4  
♦ 7 6 5  
♣ K J 7 5

**SOUTH**  
♠ Q J 8 7 5  
♥ Q 2  
♦ K 9 4  
♣ A Q 2

The bidding:  
North East South West  
1♥ Pass 1♠ Pass  
2♦ Pass 3NT

Opening lead — ten of clubs. This hand occurred in the 1967 Trials. At all five tables the contract was three notrump played by South, and at each table declarer made the contract.

Despite the uniform result, it is safe to say that many declarers playing the hand would go down one. On the surface, there seems to be absolutely nothing to the play, but that is exactly what makes the hand so easy to misplay. It appears to be natural to win the opening club lead, return the queen of hearts, and finesse. In the actual hand, this

would prove fatal when East wins the queen with the king and returns a club.

It turns out that the hearts are divided 4-2 instead of 3-3, and South eventually finds himself down one.

But the proper method of play makes the contract; in fact, it makes ten tricks. Instead of leading the queen of hearts at trick two, South should enter dummy with a diamond and lead a low heart toward his queen.

What can East do if declarer does this? If he goes up with the king, South automatically makes four heart tricks, while if he does not go up with the king, South wins with the queen, leads a heart to the ace (catching the king), continues with the jack and another heart, and again has four heart tricks to show for his efforts.

Declarer should reason that if the hearts are divided 3-3 it makes no difference whether he initiates the suit from his own hand or from dummy.

But if the hearts are divided 4-2, South is better off starting the suit from dummy. True, if West has four to the king, South's play does not matter — he goes down one either way — but if West has four without the king, leading the first heart from dummy is an absolute must.

## BENNET CERF

## Try And Stop Me

Phyllis Diller insists that she once challenged a beauty expert to "make me look like Elke Sommer." The expert told her, "You already look like an elk in summer. Would you like to try for a walrus in winter?"

Mr. Garlick had a genuine kick coming: a careless drug-store clerk had sold him a bottle of glue instead of a bottle of hair tonic.

"Disgraceful," agreed his seatmate on the 5:15. "When did you discover the error?"

"This morning," grumbled Mr. Garlick. "I put some on my hair and left the house. On the way to the station I met a girl I knew. I tried to tip my hat to her and lifted myself clear off the sidewalk!"



grimly. "That's the one we've been looking for."

2. The morning Groucho told his secretary, Zeppo, "Write a note to my dentist telling him you're enclosing a check for a hundred dollars to pay my account in full." "Shall I enclose the check?" asked Zeppo timidly. "You do," warned Groucho, "and you're fired."

### Factograph

A stannary is a tin-mining district.

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## Buddhist Influence In Vietnam's Warfare

Few nations at war suspend the fighting to observe a religious or patriotic holiday.

One exception came on our Memorial Day which the Buddhists declared to be the birth date of their religious leader. The anniversary goes by annual plebscite since historians disagree on the day and year of Buddha's birth.

Following is a Congressional Reports' background story on one of the world's principal religions:

Buddhism is a pliable, non-militant creed that has proved remarkably adaptable to local conditions. In Viet Nam, it has been assimilated into more ancient religious practices. As a result, wrote Douglas Pike in 1966, "Buddhism in Viet Nam is amorphous and confused, its creeds are formless, and its followers are united only in the belief that Buddha is a sort of presiding deity. Beneath, there is room for all sorts of beliefs, including ancestor worship and animism, the worship of local spirits, which is very common in rural Viet Nam."

Any generality about Buddhism in Viet Nam is bound to contain a host of exceptions. However, the type of Buddhism that prevails (or prevailed) in North Viet Nam is Mahayana

Buddhism, divided into a number of sects. Hinayana Buddhism, which in its simplicity is closer to original Buddhist doctrine, prevails in the South.

Buddha was born some 2,500 years ago at the foot of the Himalayas in what is now northern India. The son of a king, Buddha at the age of 29 resolved to abandon the world and seek Buddhahood or enlightenment. He achieved this exalted state after six years of extreme self-denial and self-mortification. For the next 45 years, until his death at age 80, Buddha led the life of a wandering preacher, roaming through northeastern India in search of converts.

Buddhist doctrine is grounded in the "four noble truths," in which Buddha expounded the view that life is pain, that pain is due to desire, and that wisdom lies in stilling all desire. Cessation of desire could be achieved by following the "eightfold path," right views, right intention, right speech, right action, right living, right effort, right mindfulness, right concentration.

While the eightfold path strikes the western Christian as an admirable code of conduct, the goal at the end of the path, nirvana, seems a foreign, unattractive concept. Nirvana bears no resemblance to Christian heaven, with its promise of eternal life after death. It is, instead, a negative state of extinction, or freedom from karma (rebirth). Karma, a belief borrowed from Hinduism, holds that man is destined to be reborn into suffering again and again until he breaks the cycle by attaining nirvana.

While Buddhism usually is thought of as a passive, contemplative religion, this has not been the case in South Viet Nam in recent years. Demonstrations by Buddhists resulted in overthrow of the Ngo Dinh Diem regime in 1963 and in replacement of the Nguyen Cao Ky junta by an elected government in 1967.

## RUTH RAMSEY

## Today's Grab Bag

### THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What two Houses fought each other in the "War of the Roses"?
2. Which house represented the white rose and which house the red rose in question one?
3. In what year did Charles A. Lindbergh make his famous flight?
4. Who were the opponents in the Peloponnesian War?
5. What is the Napoleonic Code?

### DID YOU KNOW. . . .

Helium was discovered in the sun's atmosphere before it was found on earth.

### BORN TODAY

Paul McCartney (the one who plays the bass guitar) has been described as the Beatle "with the strongest musical staying power." His voice is regarded as the most pleasing of any member of the group.

Most of the songs in the Beatles' repertoire were written by McCartney and John Lennon, who had teamed up in 1959 to form the nucleus of what later became the Beatles. McCartney was born in 1942 in a suburb of Liverpool. The only Beatle who is an ex-Boy Scout, he is remembered in school as a "little kid" who shunned girls.

He received his secondary education at the Liverpool Institute, a private school that also counts Beatle George Harrison among its alumni. The two collaborated on a number of hits, including the title songs of two Beatle films, "A Hard

Day's Night" and "Help!"

McCartney was fifteen when he met Lennon and the two collaborated in developing guitar techniques and musical arrangements in the popular rock 'n' roll idiom and they were sometimes joined by McCartney's schoolmate, George Harrison.

In August, 1958, McCartney, Lennon and Harrison joined forces and, in the following year, they were joined by bass guitarist Stuart Sutcliffe and drummer Peter Best. (Sutcliffe later died of a brain tumor and Best was replaced in 1952 by Ringo Starr.)

After their discovery in 1961 by Brian Epstein, a young Liverpool businessman, the Beatles were on their way. Epstein tidied up their appearance and obtained bookings in the best clubs and concert halls.

With their early recorded hits—"Love Me, Do," "Please, Please Me," "She Loves You" and "I Want to Hold Your Hand"—written by McCartney and Lennon, the Beatles soon topped best seller lists on both sides of the Atlantic.

Others born today include Richard Boone, Jeannette MacDonald.





# THE HERALD-PRESS

Twin City  
News

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## BENTON TO ENFORCE HOUSING CODES AGAIN



JOHN H. PLATTS

### 4-H Names Whirlpool President

#### Takes Post On National Council

John H. Platts of St. Joseph, president of Whirlpool corporation, has been named to the National 4-H Club Foundation Advisory Council.

His appointment was announced Tuesday by Howard C. Harder, advisory council head and chairman of CPC International, Inc. (Corn Products). There are 110 corporate executives serving on the council.

Harder explained that the council's first task will be to help 4-H raise \$8 million for the expansion of its National Center in suburban Washington, D.C.

Four-H groups in all 50 states have also pledged to support the center expansion campaign. They plan to raise one-fourth of the funds, with the rest coming from business and industry.

The 4-H center is home to nearly 20,000 youth and adults who study citizenship and leadership principles there each year. The new facility will triple the enrollment figure.

Last year the buildings on the 12½-acre campus were so crowded that 2,000 people were turned away.

The expansion program calls for additional classrooms, new dormitories and a seminar center.

The National 4-H Club Foundation operates the center in behalf of the Cooperative Extension Service.

### SJ Man Gets PH.D. In Illinois



ROBERT E. ANKLI, Ph.D.

Robert Eugene Ankli, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ankli, 1112 Main street, St. Joseph, formally received his Ph.D. degree in Economics from the University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois.

A 1959 graduate of St. Joseph high school, he received his B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of Michigan in 1963 and 1964.

Dr. Ankli received a grant from the Earhard Foundation of Ann Arbor which he used while working in research and writing his thesis. Presently, he is a professor of Economics at Guelph university, Guelph, Canada.

He is married to the former Janet Wey of Norval, Ontario, Canada. His wife and parents were present at his graduation last Saturday, June 14.

### 'Freeze' Had Lasted 5 Months

#### New System Worked Out With Court

A five-month freeze on court action to enforce Benton township housing codes and regulations has thawed.

Township officials said the break came with adoption of a new system for filing complaints with the Fifth District court.

The court, officials said, had declined to accept complaints until the new system was worked out. It invoked the freeze Jan. 1 when it assumed the functions of the Justice of the Peace courts.

Supervisor Ray Wilder said, "It has been a real headache waiting for the new system to be worked out. When the spring came it was frustrating. We had no enforcement machinery."

The supervisor said the township during the five months suspended the filing of complaints pending completion of the new way for taking a person before the court.

Under the system, the township issues an appearance notice to a person first. If the person fails to appear within 10 days of the date of notice, a warrant is sought for his arrest.

The township had been writing what was considered a "ticket" when the JP system was in operation. With the ticket, a person was required to appear and the case was heard then.

**NOTICES SENT OUT**  
Wayne Stevens, township rehabilitation director, said the new system went into effect in late May. Appearance notices were issued to three persons May 29, he said.

Township Attorney F.A. (Mike) Jones said the delay in working out the new system was caused because of the mechanics. He said the court has not been sitting on a backlog of cases in the interim.

### SJ Plans Speeding Crackdown

Police Chief Tom Gillespie said radar units will be used throughout the city on an overtime basis to cut speeding by motorists.

Gillespie said the radar units will be located on Niles avenue, Lakeshore drive, South State street and all other through streets and streets on which there are playgrounds.

There have been frequent complaints by residents of these streets of motorists exceeding the speed limit.

Police plan to post the names of motorists who are caught speeding, Gillespie said.

### BH Firemen Give Oxygen To Boy, 2

Benton Harbor firemen who went to assist a woman who stopped in front of the fire station yesterday found her son having a convulsion and applied oxygen.

Firemen said Mrs. Cheryl Duerr, route 2, was returning home from the doctor's office with her son, Gregory, 2, when he had a seizure.

Firemen wrapped him in a blanket and gave him oxygen from a resuscitator. He appeared in an improved condition and was sleeping when fire Lt. Robert Jones took him back to the doctor's office.

### State Approves Borrowing By City Of Wayland

**LANSING** — The City of Wayland in Allegan county has been granted permission by the State Municipal Finance Commission to borrow \$18,000 in tax anticipation notes to meet operating expenses.



**STUDENTS HELP STUDENTS:** Four Twin City students were awarded \$200 college scholarships from the Twin City student council. Council president Bill Chikering of St. Joseph (far left) said 40 students sought the grants won by (left to right) Anne Hausler of Benton Harbor high school to attend Lake Michigan college, Frank Smith, of St. Joseph high school who will attend Indiana

University, Rick Klug of BHHS who is headed for Kalamazoo college and Trudy Walker of BHHS to enroll at Michigan State University. Money for the grants was raised by the council from a dance sponsored last spring. Council is composed of student government representatives from four Twin City high schools. (Staff photo)

### Former BH Policeman Appointed

#### Heading Force In Burton Twp.



ARLEE DANSFIELD

Arlee Dansfield, 32, a former Benton Harbor policeman, has been appointed chief of police for Burton township, a community of 40,000 near Flint. The announcement was made following his resignation as Milan chief.

A native of Benton Harbor, Dansfield joined the police department here following a stint in the Air Force, where he had training in several Air Force police schools. He was the only qualified scuba diver on the Benton Harbor department.

Dansfield was a policeman in Benton Harbor for six years before accepting the position of Milan police chief in 1965. While in Milan, a town of 4,500, he built the police force from two men to six full time and six part-time men, plus three radio dispatchers and a parking meter controller.

He is a 1953 graduate of Benton Harbor high school, and the father of three children.

### Chicagoans Injured In Crash

Four Chicago residents were admitted to Benton Harbor Mercy hospital Tuesday after their car skidded out of control and collided with the bridge at 1-94 and East Main street, Benton township.

The driver, Cleon Aaron, Jr., 40, who was thrown out of the car, was in fair condition in the intensive care unit this morning with a fractured leg and head injuries.

Mary Lenier, 21, was also admitted with a fractured leg and was in fair condition. Her two children, Saunders, 3, and Cedric, 1, were admitted with lacerations and were in fair condition.

Benton township police said the windshield wipers smeared the windshield when Aaron turned them on as it started to rain last night. Unable to see, he applied the brakes and skidded into the bridge.

### HOME BURNED

### Veterans Hospital Group Aids Family

A family whose home and belongings were destroyed by fire last Saturday is being aided through efforts of the Twin Cities Veterans Hospital council.

Mrs. Aleatha Murphy, president of the council, announced a drive to raise funds and collect articles for the family of Ivan Keller. According to Mrs. Keller their house at 612 North Pike road, Benton Heights, was insured, but contents, including family clothing, were not.

Ivan Keller and his wife both served with the Navy in the Pacific during World War II. Mrs. Keller has been hospital chairman of the veterans' organization. Since the fire, the family has been living with a married daughter in Benton Heights.

Mrs. Murphy requested that organizations affiliated with the group and wishing to help call her at WA 7-4319 during the afternoon or the following members: Mrs. Marie Karsten, Mrs. David Lacombe, and Mrs. Emma Martin, of St. Joseph; Mrs. Lyman Worick of Sodus; Mrs. Pete Edinger of Eau Claire; Mrs. Jay Landon, Mrs. John Rider, Mrs. Grace Lister, Mrs. Alma Frakes and Mrs. Otha Ingle, of Benton Harbor.

### WARNING

### Unlicensed Painters Reported In Area

A warning was issued to homeowners today to be on the lookout for unlicensed operators offering to spray paint the exterior of houses.

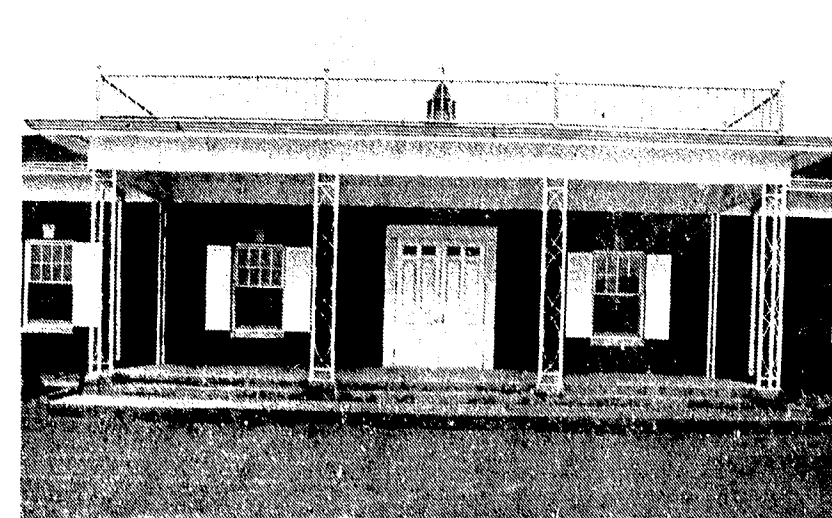
Andrew Novikoff, investigator for three Berrien county prosecutor's office, said complaints have been received in the past week about several operators going door-to-door.

A warrant, Novikoff said, has been issued for one of them so far. The name was withheld pending his apprehension.

According to Novikoff, the operators offer to spray paint the exterior at an appealing cost. But he said they use the wrong paint, paint windows and flowers and then leave with the money.

In one case, Novikoff said interior paint was used and the homeowner charged \$410.

Any operator offering a service such as exterior painting must be licensed by the state, said Novikoff. A homeowner should ask to see the license. If none can be produced, they should get a description of the truck and a license number and notify authorities immediately, he said.



**BU ELKS' NEW CLUBHOUSE:** The Benton Harbor Elk's newly completed \$300,000 clubhouse, Kerlikowske road, Hagar township, will be the site used for the first time for the initiation of 20 new members Thursday. Approximately 250 fellow Elks from Indiana will be on hand to join in the ceremonies. The 70 x 137 foot, brick veneer, colonial style, structure, will be officially open to its 1,000 members early next week. The formal dedication of the clubhouse will be in September. The building features a lodge room, dining room, cocktail lounge, complete kitchen facilities, and locker room. The club's new 18-hole golf course opened last July. (Staff photo)

### John Beers Lindenfeld Dead At 59

#### Well-Known SJ Realtor And Club Leader

John Beers Lindenfeld, well-known St. Joseph realtor and descendant of a pioneer Berrien county family, died Tuesday evening at Pawating hospital, Niles. He was 59.

Death was caused by cancer of the lung first diagnosed last September. Mr. Lindenfeld underwent treatment at Blodgett hospital, Grand Rapids, for several weeks at that time.

He returned to his home at 1717 Niles avenue, St. Joseph, for a few weeks' recuperation, then was semi-active in business until 10 days ago when he entered Pawating.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon from the First Congregational church of St. Joseph. The Rev. George Fisk, pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in River-view cemetery.

For three decades Mr. Lindenfeld was among the most active of Twin Cities real estate brokers. He was past president of the Twin Cities Multiple Listing System and a member of the Southwestern Michigan Board of Realtors.

Among the hundreds of property deals he negotiated were the acquisition of the site for Whirlpool Corporations administrative center on North Shore drive, and of the site for the Congregational church where his funeral service will be held.

#### EX-COMMISSIONER

Mr. Lindenfeld was active in a variety of civic and school affairs, serving as a St. Joseph city commissioner from 1952 until 1955 when he resigned.

He was a past president of the St. Joseph Lions club, and also had served as chairman of the club's annual Good Fellow-Herald-Press newsie sale, and as chairman of the club's sight committee.

Mr. Lindenfeld was born July 17, 1909, in St. Joseph, the son of the late Alexander S. and Dr. May Beers Lindenfeld. He was the namesake of his maternal grandfather, Dr. John S. Beers, after whom Berrien county's John Beers road is named.

#### ATHLETIC STAR

He attended Benton Harbor high school where he was an outstanding "vest pocket" guard during two years of varsity football. But he graduated from high school in Fort Myers, Fla., where his parents made their winter home for a time.

He was an alumnus of Rollins college in Winter Park, Fla., and of Olivet College in Olivet, Mich. At Rollins, he won the Southwest Conference quarter-mile track championship.

He entered the real estate business in 1938 in St. Joseph, and on April 26, 1939, married the former Miss Phyllis Wille of St. Joseph. She survives, as do their four children: Mrs. Jerry (Carol) Meyers, a teacher in Sunnyvale, Calif.; Robert and Jan, twins, who are students at Michigan State University; and James, a 1969 graduate of St. Joseph high school who will enter MSU this fall.

Also surviving are three brothers—Dr. Frederick H. Lindenfeld of Niles and Bela G. and Bert Lindenfeld of St. Joseph—and an aunt, Miss Catherine Beers of St. Joseph. The body is at Dey Brothers Funeral Home in St. Joseph where friends may call.



JOHN B. LINDENFELD

### SJ Priest Relieved Of Duties

#### Asks Time For 'Self Analysis'

Rev. Fr. David L. Boggs, 29, assistant pastor at St. Joseph Catholic church, has requested and received permission from Bishop Alexander Zaleski to be relieved of his pastoral assignments for time to make a self analysis of his future as a Roman Catholic priest.

The chancery office said Father Boggs several months ago requested to be relieved of his duties and has within the past two weeks taken his leave of absence.

Charles Fisher, public information officer of the diocese said it would be premature to say that Father Boggs has left the priesthood—that he had only requested time to "re-examine his priestly commitments." He needs time to think, Fisher said. No one, either of the St. Joseph Catholic rectory or the chancery office know where Father Boggs is at present.

Another priest, Rev. Fr. Norman Zeras, pastor of St. Edward's church, Mendon, has made a similar request, Fisher said, and the Bishop has granted it.

Father Boggs was born Jan. 30, 1940 in Jackson, was ordained June 4, 1965 in Lansing. His first assignment was as an associate pastor at St. Michael's, Flint (1965-66) and then served two years at St. Phillip's, Battle Creek (1966-68) and transferred to St. Joseph Catholic in August, 1968.

#### TWICE

### Stopped By BH Police

Alvin Lee Dyson, 22, of 227 Jefferson street, Benton Harbor, got stopped twice by Benton Harbor police yesterday—once on speeding and once on reckless driving charges.

Patrolman Willie Elliott said he stopped Dyson and issued a summons. He reported he was returning Dyson's driver's license and the summons when Dyson snatched them out of his hand and sped away.

Elliott followed Dyson, stopped him again, and arrested him on a reckless driving charge.

**LOT OWNER IDENTIFIED**  
The new owner of a lot in Buchanan was incorrectly identified as Gregory A. Farmer in a property transfer story in this newspaper Saturday. The correct name is Gregory A. Farmer.

### DIES IN VIETNAM

### Grandson Of Former SJ Couple Killed

A grandson of former St. Joseph residents, Lance Cpl. Larry J. Eglnsdorfer, 21, was killed in action in Vietnam last week, while serving with the 1st Infantry division of the U.S. Marine Corps.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Eglnsdorfer of Milan, Mich. His paternal grandparents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eglnsdorfer of St. Joseph.

Relatives still living in this area are two uncles and three aunts; they are: Walter Eglnsdorfer, 458 North State street, St. Joseph; Carl Eglnsdorfer, 514 Keohart road, Berrien Springs; Mrs. Mariane Stiles and Mrs. Adeline Wells, both of Berrien Springs; and Mrs. Helen Jonatzke, Stevensville.

Funeral services for Lance Cpl. Eglnsdorfer will be held Friday at 2 p.m. in Milan. Stevens and Gush Funeral home of Milan, will handle the arrangements.

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## HIGHWAY DEPT. CLEARED OF WRONG-DOING

### Galien Will Try Again For 4 Mills

Third Vote On Proposal Will Be August 20

GALIEN — Galien school district residents will vote for the third time Aug. 20 on a proposal for four mills to provide extra operating funds.

The proposal for four mills for two years has been defeated twice before at the polls. District voters turned down the measure on May 6 by a 31-vote margin and again on June 9 by a 28-vote margin.

The board of education, meeting Monday night, set the date of the election after reviewing the results of the June 9 election.

School officials have indicated the extra revenue is needed to continue present programs in the school, to meet increased teacher salaries and other operational expense hikes.

#### APPOINTS SNIDER

The board in other business approved the appointment of Eugene A. Snider as the new elementary principal. Snider will succeed Stanley Macklin, who will become superintendent at the Galien township school on July 1.

Snider has been an elementary principal in the River Valley school district for the past three years serving in the Three Oaks and New Troy schools. He holds a bachelor of arts degree from Olivet Nazarene college, Kankakee, Ill., and a master of arts degree in administration from Michigan State university. He is a past member of the executive board of Region 10 of Michigan Elementary Principals Association, former 4-H leader, and is active on Scout work. He and his wife, Helen, and their six children, reside near Lakeside.

Snider's two-year contract calls for a salary of \$11,600 for the first year.

The board voted to hold its regular July meeting during the reorganizational meeting on July 14 and not to hold a work session in July.

Board members revised the school calendar to include one day for teachers' institute on Oct. 10 and to hold one-half day of school on Jan. 23, 1970.

#### TUITION PAYMENT

Payment of tuition for special education students attending the River Valley schools was approved.

Textbooks for the next school year were approved by the board with the exception of Marriage and Family Relations textbook. Board members asked for the Marriage and Family Relations book to be submitted to the Galien sex education advisory committee for recommendation.

The board agreed to purchase five utility buildings for the housing project.

#### TEACHERS HIRED

New teachers hired by the board are: Naomi Neill, junior high science; Jacqueline Castebuono, early elementary; and Karen Kolberg, high school English.

The board approved the following federal projects for next year: National Defense Education Act, Title I and II; Elementary School Education Act, I and II; Vocational education act; agriculture, industrial arts, business, home economics and work study program; adult basic education and adult high school completion.

Board members learned the Michigan Association of School Boards will hold a legislative workshop in Kalamazoo on June 23. Board members also voted to attend the combined meeting of the Michigan Association of School Administrators and Michigan Association of School Boards in Detroit in September. Bills totaling \$7,781 and payment of 1967 building and site fund bills totaling \$19,844 were approved for payment.



EUGENE A. SNIDER  
New Elementary Principal

### B. Springs Principal Is Hired

Just Resigned At BH School

BERRIEN SPRINGS — Robin Campbell, principal of Calvin Britain school in the Benton Harbor district for the past three years, has been hired as principal of the early elementary school in the Berrien Springs district.

He succeeds Carl Guettler, who retired after serving 34 years in the Berrien Springs district. Campbell said he signed a one-year contract Tuesday and will begin duties Aug. 18. He said the salary has not been determined, because the principals' salary schedule is linked to the teachers' schedule which is still being negotiated. Campbell's salary this year at Calvin Britain school was \$13,200.

Campbell, 34, submitted his resignation as principal at Calvin Britain school in May, but indicated at that time he planned to remain in the district as a teacher. A native of Bangor, Campbell formerly was superintendent at Boynton school and taught and previously coached basketball at Lakeshore and Lawrence.

Campbell is married and the father of five children. The family resides at 1352 Cardinal drive, St. Joseph.



ROBIN CAMPBELL

### B. Springs Yearbook Has Arrived

BERRIEN SPRINGS — Mrs. Lynwood Smith, advisor of the Berrien Springs high school yearbook staff, has announced the "Canoe" has arrived and will be distributed Thursday evening.

Mrs. Smith said students are to bring their subscription receipts to the high school cafeteria between 7 and 9 p.m. She said students may stay between those hours to sign yearbooks.

### Year-Long Grand Jury Probe Ends

Investigation Covers Period Of 11 Years

LANSING (AP) — After a year-long grand jury investigation, the Michigan Highway Department has been declared free of criminal wrong-doing within the tenure of its last three principal administrators.

"In my opinion and in the opinion of this grand jury there is no official corruption now or has there been any for as far back as we have investigated, which is for about 11 years," Ingham County Circuit Court Judge Marvin J. Salmon said Tuesday.

Salmon, the lone grand juror who investigated the Highway Department at the request of former Gov. George Romney and Atty. Gen. Frank Kelley, announced the conclusion of his investigation which will be filed with the Michigan Supreme Court.

The Commission said in a statement the grand jury report would be reviewed promptly.

Affidavits charging waste of state funds "official misconduct" and "willful neglect of duty" by 10 Highway Department engineers and the director of the State Waterways Commission also were revealed. No criminal charges are involved in those findings, however.

In an indictment earlier this spring, John E. Miller, former department property engineer, was charged with perjury and agreeing to accept bribes amounting to \$25,000 from his brother William.

A hearing on the charges against John Miller has been postponed until August. William, named as head of a firm which leased a Lansing garage to the department, faces extradition from Ohio.

#### MACKIE VINDICATED

Also on Tuesday, Salmon made a separate, special report vindicating former Highway Commissioner John C. Mackie.

"There was no basis whatsoever for any finding of criminal guilt, either as a witness or otherwise" against Mackie, said Salmon in the report.

Cleared by implication were:



MAILMEN MEET: Winding up their annual state convention yesterday at Holiday Inn, Benton township, were more than 200 members of the Michigan Rural Letter Carriers' association and the ladies' auxiliary. Pictured (left to right) are Roy L. Me Demongey of St. Charles, state president; K. O.

Henrik E. Stafseth, the present director, and Howard E. Hill, who ran the department from 1965 until June 1, 1967.

Hill was named acting director after Mackie, last elected highway commissioner, resigned to serve one term in the U.S. House of Representatives.

Stafseth was named acting director upon Hill's resignation in 1967 and later became director in title.

Mackie figured in a 1967 department investigation by Kelley. In a report at that time, Kelley said allegations "for more than 10 years have ranged over a wide spectrum from illegal parking to misappropriation of public funds."

Kelley singled out Frederick E. Tripp, then administration director under Mackie, for actions "which (are) the proper subject of concern by the Highway Commission."

#### POSSIBLE DISMISSAL

Salmon Tuesday named Tripp among those termed "guilty of malfeasance" and recommended for dismissal consideration.

Kelley's report said Mackie received a new Buick and \$22,000 as farewell gifts from department contractors.

None of those funds were used

for political activities, Kelley found, but "They seem to require legislation to prevent recurrence."

Mackie also was found innocent of "unusual or improper income."

Contacted at his Warrenton, Va. engineering firm which he said does "land development and road design" and has held classified contracts with the U. S. Army Signal Corps, Mackie called the Salmon report "an official clearing of my name."

"I've known all along the highway department was clean," Mackie said, "I think it honestly, efficiently, got the most for the dollar."

"Mr. Kelley, in effect, said the same thing. There was nothing to (the charges). It was all primarily political. If I had not been running (for Congress), I think nothing would have been said."

#### ROMNEY SILENT

In Washington, Romney, now Housing and Urban Development secretary in the Nixon Administration, declined comment.

Kelley said Tuesday he and

Romney requested the investigation a year ago because "We wanted to clear the air. There were still rumors and allegations in the air. I went along with the governor on it."

In the nearly year-long probe, Salmon said, some 320 witnesses testified on 177 subjects.

Total cost of the investigation, he said, was \$118,241.04. A sum of \$150,000 was authorized.

"This grand juror suspects that the public, in light of the petitioners' allegations concerning the Highway Department and the rumors which have circulated, . . . believed that this grand jury would return many indictments and file many reports as to wrongdoing," Salmon said at a news conference.

"It has not done so, and the public in our judgement is entitled to know why. However, we cannot disclose this information because the law prohibits it."

"If per chance there are any who still doubt this court's statement, then secure from the Legislature the right to a return of the records from the Supreme Court and the right to lay bare those records and we will gladly show the substantiation for our statements."

Salmon proposed such action in a nine-page list of recommendations set forth with his public statement on the highway probe.

#### PLEA TO LEGISLATURE

He called on the Legislature to "provide, with safeguards, for the filing of a report by the grand juror, where the subject for an inquiry has been a department, agency, commission or other subdivision of the state."

A bill already passed by the Senate and pending in the House would authorize the grand juror to file a copy of his report with the Governor. Thus "somebody would be informed about the possibility of bad practices," said Sen. James Fleming, R-Jackson, sponsor of the measure.

Salmon called also for laws to provide for:

— Reports of misfeasance, malfeasance and willful neglect of duty of public employees as well as public officers.

— A one-year term for the grand jury, with provisions for a one-year extension, as opposed to the current six months and six-month extension.

In addition, Salmon urged: — Elections laws provide for a yearly report of political expenditures and receipts of elected officers, source of contributions and maintenance of records.

Conflict of interest laws to include provision for legislators and other state officers who

willfully violate them, as well as to limit or prohibit receipt of gifts or gratuities.

— Civil Service Commission rules to prohibit classified employees from accepting any gifts, "with the exception of such as advertising specialties, occasional meals, beverages and admission to sporting events."

— Civil service rules to prohibit any state officer or employee to engage, in any political activities.

Salmon and his chief aide, special prosecutor Leo A. Farhat, denied that a citizen grand jury could have done the work as efficiently as their one-man investigation.

Under a bill passed by the House, now before the Senate, the one-man grand jury system would be abolished and the 23-man "citizen grand jury" reduced to 13 to 17 members.

"In our opinion it would have been impossible for a 23-man grand jury to conduct the investigation," Farhat said. "It would have been too costly and required too much time to educate all 23 of them in the details of engineering and contracting involved."

### Body Found In Blazing Automobile

UNION — The body of an Adamsville area man was found last night in a burning auto in a field near here, Cass county sheriff's officials reported.

Dr. Robert Knox, Cass county coroner, said the victim had died of a heart attack before the auto ran into the field and caught fire.

The victim was identified as George E. Harris, 53, route 1, Adamsville, a community near Union in Southeast Cass county.

No autopsy was ordered and the body was taken to Mayhew funeral home, Edwardsburg.

Cass Sheriff James Northrop said today that the auto apparently caught fire from sparks created as the vehicle traveled over rough ground after leaving Mason street about a mile from Harris' home. Northrop said the Edwardsburg fire department called to the scene about 1:45 p.m. put out the blaze.

Northrop said the coroner reported that an investigation showed Harris had a background of heart trouble and indications that Harris died before the auto caught fire.

### Misconduct By Officials Is Revealed

No Criminal Penalties Are Now Proposed

LANSING (AP) — Documented "findings of misconduct" have been forwarded to the Michigan Highway Commission and the Natural Resources Commission in the wake of a grand jury investigation of the highway department.

Special Prosecutor Leo A. Farhat — assistant to one-man grand juror Marvin J. Salmon — said misconduct "does not necessarily constitute violation of law, although it might."

Seven of the reports, Farhat said, charge only "waste of state funds."

No penalties are proposed, although each affidavit notes the department has dismissal authority.

#### BUYS AT DISCOUNT

The Natural Resources Department official cited in Salmon's report was Keith E. Wilson, state Waterways Commission director. He was charged with purchasing some \$1,455 worth of merchandise at a discount arranged by Nathan Shapiro of Consulting Engineering, Associates, Inc.

Salmon said Shapiro's firm handled "a great amount" of state contracts for acquisition, development and maintenance of harbors and docks. The purchases arranged by Shapiro included an exercise bicycle, tires and home appliances.

Gordon J. Fellows, highway department administrative engineer, also was cited as purchasing some \$1,500 worth of merchandise through Shapiro. Supervision of contracts with consulting engineering allowed fellows to approve changes, the report said, and his purchases through Shapiro were held contrary to departmental conflict-of-interest rules.

Frederick E. Tripp, chief of the highway department's Internal Services Bureau was cited for violation of rules prohibiting outside employment unless authorized by a department supervisor. In Tripp's case that was Director Henrik E. Stafseth.

Atty. Gen. Frank Kelley noted in his 1967 report on the department that Tripp's interest in two "Nanjo Big Boy" restaurants appeared to skirt department prohibitions.

Testimony before Salmon showed Tripp continued to work at one of the restaurants early this year, although he no longer held an interest in either, said the document filed by the judge.

Albert D. Bakus, chief of the highway department's right-of-way engineering unit, was charged with receiving \$1,587 for outside drafting and layouts of interstate highway interchanges prepared for Joseph D. Pentecost. The affidavit noted Bakus did not do the sketches on highway department time but still failed to seek higher approval. Bakus admitted in testimony before the jury he knew the work violated civil service regulations.

Seven highway department employees were charged with waste of state funds through "acts of misfeasance, malfeasance, willful neglect of duty or other offense."

#### HELPS CONTRACTORS

Four were charged with approving unauthorized contracts amounting to \$16,300 to the Holloway Construction Co. of Livonia. An agreement allowed Holloway to save \$35,000 by substituting water for chemical used in preparing surfacing material.

Those four were: Charles S. Lundberg, administrative engineer; Francis Deschamps, construction engineer; John G. Hautala, acting chief of the operations bureau, and Peter Branstrom, construction engineer.

Intentional or negligent disregard of state contracting procedures in the award of \$23,661 contract to Carl Goodwin and Sons, Inc. of Allegan was charged against three officials:

Raymond F. Durfee, administrative engineer; Robert R. Seravere, construction engineer, and Glen R. Watz, construction engineer.

The Goodwin contract called for overtime premiums for work done on 1-94 in Van Buren County. A previous department contract contained no provisions for overtime, Salmon said, "and such payment was totally unauthorized."

### Allegan Sheriff Finds Youth's Body In Lake

SHELBYVILLE — The body of a 17-year-old drowning victim was recovered about 8:30 p.m. Tuesday in Shelkirk lake by Allegan county Sheriff Robert Whitcomb.

Dragging operations for the county's second drowning victim this year had been carried on since Sunday. Sheriff Whitcomb said he found the body in 20 feet of water.

The victim was Ronnie Ehler of Grand Rapids who drowned trying to recover a small boat which had drifted from a larger craft.

## Festivities Planned For Rocking Chair Champ

### Sets Record For Charity

By SCOTT KINGAN

Staff Writer

EAU CLAIRE — The mother of Phillip Grant, world champion rocking chair record holder, Tuesday told this newspaper that her son is to be honored at a surprise birthday party in Chicago Saturday.

Mrs. Floyd C. Grant said her son knows he will be going to Chicago with muscular dystrophy officials — but he does not know about the surprise party. He will be 20 on Saturday.

Grant, an MSU sophomore, rocked his way to fame, a straight 104 hours worth of it, and fortune, to the tune of about \$1,000 donated to the muscular dystrophy fund.

#### WILL BE TELEVISED

Now those he helped want to try to return the favor. Mrs. Grant said, by honoring the lad in the Windy City where a portion of the festivities will be televised.

To the brothers of the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity in East Lansing, Grant's rocking chair is now about as famous as a namesake's tomb. The rocker currently resides at the fraternity house refinished and reupholstered in red velvet. A gold plaque commemorates Phil's feat.

Ted Devieux, head of MD in Lansing, and his wife will accompany Grant on Thursday's flight to Chicago. Once there, what Grant expects and what he is to receive—may differ vastly.

Ever since Grant set the rocker record last May, his mother has known about the upcoming party.

Grant's affiliation with the organization headed nationally

by comedian Jerry Lewis has made him somewhat of a celebrity in his own right. Reports of his rocking chair marathon have been aired on Lansing television.

In addition, numerous column inches of type and photos have

been published by newspapers describing Grant's rocking chair prowess.

Grant's charitable profitable antics tend to put the stop to statements that rocking chairs went out with Whistler's Mother.



SURPRISE FOR SON: Mrs. Floyd C. Grant, mother of Phillip Grant, views picture of her son who will be treated to a surprise birthday party in Chicago this week. Grant, world rocking chair record holder, raised about \$1,000 for muscular dystrophy while competing for the record. (Staff photo)

#### BAINBRIDGE

### Residents Can Get Dump Passes Tonight

Bainbridge township residents may obtain their dump passes from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight, at the township hall, Henry Schaus, Bainbridge clerk announced.

Schaus said these hours have been set as a convenience to residents. He said after tonight, dump passes may be obtained at homes of the supervisor, clerk or treasurer.

Schaus said questions about dumping and the fee rates will be explained tonight. The landfill on M-140 just south of I-94, is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Fees are 50 cents for cars, \$1 for pick-up trucks and \$2.50 for flatbed trucks.

The passes identify the holder as a resident of Bainbridge township who is eligible to use the landfill.

### Residents Can Get Dump Passes Tonight

Bainbridge township residents may obtain their dump passes from 7 to 9 p.m. tonight, at the township hall, Henry Schaus, Bainbridge clerk announced.

Schaus said these hours have been set as a convenience to residents. He said after tonight, dump passes may be obtained at homes of the supervisor, clerk or treasurer.

Schaus said questions about dumping and the fee rates will be explained tonight. The landfill on M-140 just south of I-94, is open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Fees are 50 cents for cars, \$1 for pick-up trucks and \$2.50 for flatbed trucks. The passes identify the holder as a resident of Bainbridge township who is eligible to use the landfill.



Fennville Bank Aide To Retire

Tenure Extends Over 47 Years



NELSON WARREN

FENNVILLE — After more than 47 years in banking, Nelson Warren will retire June 30 as assistant vice president of the Citizens Trust and Savings bank.

Warren was employed by the Old State bank in Fennville in 1921 after graduating from the local high school. He was elected assistant cashier in 1958. In 1964 he became vice president and represented the bank in negotiations which led to its purchase by Citizens Trust and Savings bank of South Haven in 1965. At the time of the merger he was elected assistant vice president.

The Citizens Trust and Savings bank also has branches in Saugatuck and Bloomingdale.

Warren and his wife, the former Janet Yonker of Holland, plan to travel and he will continue in general insurance.

The couple have two daughters.

LODGE MEMBER

Warren is a member of the Damascus Lodge No. 415 F&AM, the Lions Club and the Fennville United Methodist Church.

The banker was recently honored at a dinner and presented a gold watch by vice president Marvin S. Hutchinson.

During the dinner bank president James Pence announced that Duane R. Hafer would join the Fennville staff July 1. He is presently assistant cashier in South Haven and resides in Benton Harbor. He and his family will move to the area in the near future.

Pence also announced that the board of directors had elected Gilbert C. Jilison vice president and Ernest S. Langreider assistant vice president.

Jilison, a native of Haven, graduated from South Haven high school and attended Alma college and Miami university.

WAR VETERAN

A veteran of World War II he joined the bank as a commercial teller in 1951 and transferred to the loan department in 1956. He was elected assistant cashier in 1959 and promoted to assistant vice president in 1963. He and his wife Shirley reside on Prospect street in South Haven and have two daughters.

Ernest Langreider joined the bank in 1964 and is in charge of the loan collection division. In 1967 he was elected assistant cashier and the next year transferred to the Saugatuck branch as operating and loan officer. He returned to South Haven in October of that year. Langreider is active in the Fraternal Order of Police, having served for a period on the South Haven police force prior to joining the bank. Military service included active duty in Korea during that war.

He and his wife Margaret reside on Hawkhead road and have one daughter.

New Buffalo Approves \$350,000 Bond Issue

Helping Industrial Firm

NEW BUFFALO — The city council Tuesday night adopted a resolution of intent to issue industrial development revenue bonds not to exceed \$350,000 for the acquisition, construction and development of an industrial building.

The building is to be leased by the city to Berry Metals company of Pennsylvania. The bonds would not be payable through taxes but would be the financial responsibility of the Berry Metal company.

In other business, the council passed a resolution to request the fifth district court to remit one-third of all fines and costs for all city ordinance violations since Jan. 1. The resolution was adopted after Mayor Albert Mayer told the council New Buffalo has not received fine money or court costs since the new court system has gone into effect.

The council voted to hire Michie city publishers, Charlottesville, Va., to codify all city ordinances for a cost of \$2,850.

The council denied the request of Elmer Richards, contractor, for a proposed housing development of pre-fabricated houses. Councilmen said they believe the houses would be substandard homes for this area.

The council appointed Frank Magro to serve on the city park board.

The council passed a resolution to reauthorize the public library board that the city will collect and remit the one-half mill levy voted them for operating funds.

Andrew Krycka, city manager, reported that the sidewalk at the northwest end of the Galien river bridge was undermined and is presently barricaded until repairs can be made.

The council approved the \$200 purchase of a safe for the city hall from the post office department.

Drug Store Has New Owners

BUCHANAN — Wisner's Super Drug store at 802 East Front street, has been sold to Donald W. Beck of Crown Point, Ind., by the owners, Mr. and Mrs. Gerett M. Wisner. Beck will take possession July 1, when the store will be known as the Wisner-Beck Drug Store. Wisner will continue to work in the store.

In 1920 Gerett's father, E. H. Wisner quit as dean of pharmacy at Valparaiso university and came here. He purchased the Fisk-Rogers drug store then in the building now occupied by the Kreiger department store. A year later he moved the store into the old hotel building, now the site of the Clark Equipment Credit Corp. Gerett, then a high school student, worked in his father's store until he went to Ferris State college.

He graduated in 1928 with a degree in pharmacy. In 1927 his father became dean of pharmacy at Ferris and his mother managed the store until Gerett took over in 1928. The present store was opened in 1959.

Beck, who holds a degree in pharmacy from Purdue university, is a registered pharmacist in Illinois, Indiana and Michigan. He is currently a junior partner in the Schedell & Wendt Brothers Walgreen Pharmacy in Crown Point. He is married and plans to move his family here later this month.

Councilmen sitting as the New Buffalo water board last night approved sprinkling rates on sewer charges for the summer months.

Water users will not have to pay extra sewer charges on lawn sprinkling from May through September. The sewer charges amount to 60 per cent of a \$2.50 per minimum per 3,000 gallons of water used.

The board discussed plans to adjust the present water rates after July 1 to establish a more equitable rate for all families. Board member Joseph Debiak pointed out that presently a family of six pays 300 per cent more for water than the minimum users do. All adjustments will have to be approved by the Michigan Finance Commission.

Two bills totaling \$5,215 to Clyde E. Williams, engineers of South Bend, were approved for the general supervision inspection to date of the new lake water intake project.

The board appointed the Bank of Alma and the General National Bank of Detroit as paying agents for the general obligation bonds to pay \$7,467 worth of coupons due July 1 on the \$232,000 worth of general obligation bonds for the water project.

It was reported that the completion date of the lake water project is scheduled for November. Phase three of the

water project, the water plant, is now ahead of schedule, it was reported by Mayor Albert Mayer.

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